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COMMENTS:

Craig -

The PASV report came back from the City (we'll send you the original and keep a copy for our tile) and there were a few additional hits compared to 2005. I think these stem from mapping errors in the City's GIS data base, but before I go back to them I want to get your feedback.

Please look at the following figure (if it doesn't show up I will scan it and send it via e-mail) – areas 1 and 2 are the mapped areas of concern.

1) City has this mapped as a wetland. It's on the National Wetlands Inventory as a "artificially flooded excavated pond" (which is not necessarily jurisdictional). Please confirm that the area is currently aggregate storage and transfer area. Also comment on whether there ever was a pond of any sort there (that you know of), and any information you might have on that.

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2) The City has mapped as a "steep slope area". It looks like piles of aggregate that may have been mapped incorrectly using remote sensing. Please let me know if there are any steep slopes here, or if it's just piles of aggregate on flat substrate, or even a ditch/drainage area, or just flat substrate.

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Before I go back to the City I want to make sure I have correct information. It's not uncommon for inventories to have mapping errors – If that's what has happened here one of my questions back to the City will be how to correct that to avoid this issue in the future.

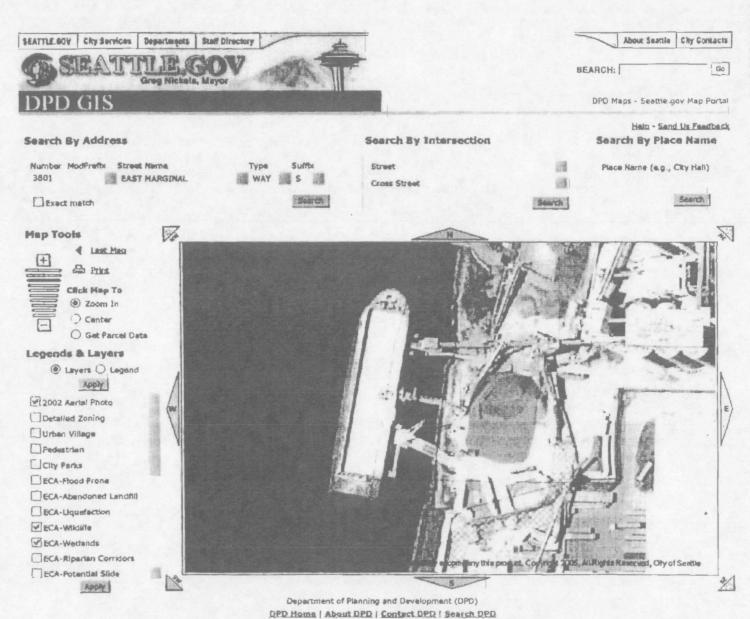
I'd like to take care of this today if possible - please call when you have a chance to review this.

Thanks,

Melora

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